

20 AAC 25.172(c) is amended to read:

(c) At or after the time that a well drilled from a location on a beach, artificial island, or shifting natural island is abandoned, and before the earliest of one year after well abandonment, the time that the operator stops activities necessary to ensure the integrity of the location, or the expiration of the owner's rights in the property, **unless there is active production and/or injection operations at the location at the time a well is abandoned in which case the site clearance must be completed within one year of the cessation of production and/or injection operations,**

(Eff. 4/2/86, Register 97; am 11/7/99, Register 152; am \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_, Register \_\_\_\_)

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